1 2 3 4 5 6 7 IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT 8 9 FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA 10 11 PHILLIP ANGELO TODD, No. 2:05-cv-00043 MCE JFM (HC) 12 Petitioner, 13 **ORDER** VS. MARK SHEPPARD, Warden, 14 15 Respondent. 16 Petitioner, a state prisoner proceeding pro se, has timely filed a notice of appeal of this 17 18 court's May 19, 2009 denial of his application for a writ of habeas corpus. Before petitioner can appeal this decision, a certificate of appealability must issue. 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c); Fed. R. App. 19 20 P. 22(b). 21 A certificate of appealability may issue under 28 U.S.C. § 2253 "only if the applicant has 22 made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right." 28 U.S.C. § 2253(c)(2). The 23 court must either issue a certificate of appealability indicating which issues satisfy the required 24 showing or must state the reasons why such a certificate should not issue. Fed. R. App. P. 22(b). 25 ///// ///// 26

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For the reasons set forth in the magistrate judge's February 26, 2009 findings and recommendations, petitioner has not made a substantial showing of the denial of a constitutional right. Accordingly, a certificate of appealability should not issue in this action.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: June 5, 2009

MORRISON C. ENGLAND) JR. UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE